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To: Mental Health and Rehabilitation Clinics

Subject: Rehabilitative Behavioral Health Providers – Provider Qualifications

The South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services (SCDHHS) is revising the Rehabilitative Behavioral Health Services (RBHS) Policy Manual. Changes will be effective on or after April 1, 2016.

Provision of Core Treatment Services must be provided by one of the following:

- a qualified, licensed practitioner of the healing arts in accordance with their applicable South Carolina practice act;
- a provider pursuing their independent license during a documented supervised period of clinical practice in accordance with their applicable South Carolina practice act; or
- an employee of a governmental agency acting within an exemption under the applicable South Carolina practice act.

For questions regarding this bulletin, please contact the Division of Behavioral Health at (803) 898-2565.

Thank you for your continued support of the South Carolina Healthy Connections Medicaid program.

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